

California OES Weather Threat Briefing

Friday, December 4, 2020
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- **Day 1 (Friday):** Critical fire weather conditions continue across the Los Angeles and Ventura County Mountains today and tonight where winds will locally gust to 40-50 mph and very low humidity is expected.

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WEATHER KEY POINTS

12/04/20 - 12/10/20

Friday-Thursday

- Widespread critical fire weather conditions will continue across much of southwest California due to strong Santa Ana winds gusting 40-50 mph at times and very low humidity through Saturday.
 - Wind gusts will gradually decrease into Saturday.
- Long swell event across northern California coast through early Saturday, with the potential for sneaker waves and rip currents
- Rain is expected across NW CA on Saturday, otherwise dry conditions are expected for the rest of the state.
- Elevated fire weather concerns return statewide late Sunday through Tuesday as offshore winds develop and dry conditions continue.
 - Another round of moderate Santa Ana winds possible over southwest California by Monday and Tuesday.



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

12/04/20 - 12/10/20

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds	Southern/ S Inland	Southern		Southern	Southern		
Snow							
Coastal Flooding							
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)							
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)	Southern/ S Inland	Southern	Southern	All Regions	All Regions	Southern	Southern
Heat Risk							
Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow							
Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



Moderate Impacts

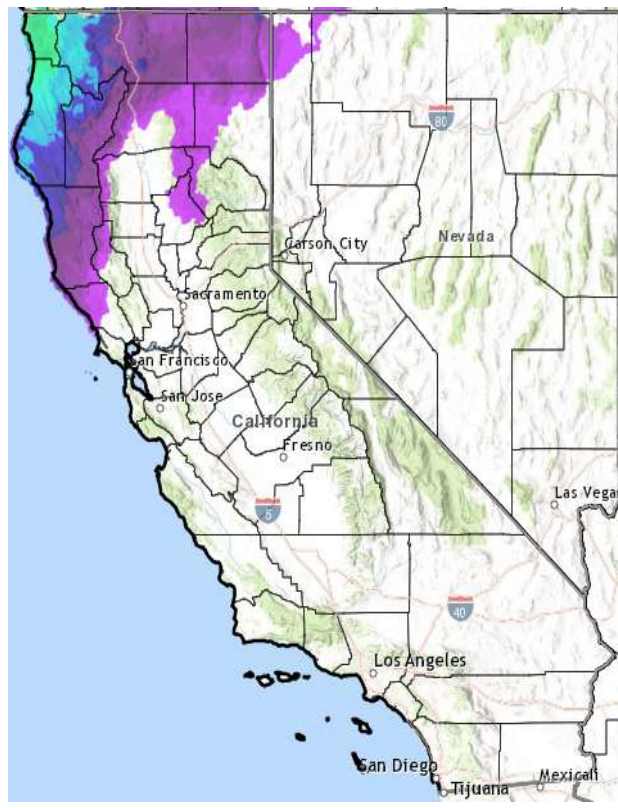


Severe Impacts

PRECIPITATION FORECAST 12/04/20 - 12/06/20



Friday



Saturday



Sunday

Precipitation (inches)



WEATHER OUTLOOK

12/09/20 - 12/17/20

6-10 Day Outlook (December 9 – December 13)

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures expected statewide

Precipitation

- Below normal precipitation expected statewide

8-14 Day Outlook (December 10 – December 17)

Temperatures

- Near-normal temperatures expected for central and southern CA and above-normal temperatures in northern CA

Precipitation

- Below normal precipitation expected statewide



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